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LAW LIBRARY OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR*

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The Library of the Interior Department,[1] although an integral part of the Department from its earliest days, has been subject to varying fortunes. It was brought into existence in 1850, less than a year after the organization of the Department, by the first Secretary, who appointed his son, Thomas D. Ewing (afterwards the distinguished General Ewing of the Civil War), to take charge of the government publications received by the Department.

These documents were housed in a small room in what was then known as the Corcoran Building, at the corner of F and 15th streets, opposite the Treasury Department, and formed a nucleus to which were added gradually the necessary reference books for the rapidly growing Department. Although the shelves for a time were mostly filled with public documents, this small library soon became an important adjunct to the Secretary's office. Its shelves were always open for reference, and on two days of each week a clerk was detailed to superintend the circulation of the books among the employees of the Department proper and its many subordinate branches.

By the Act of February 5, 1859, the Department of the Interior was charged by Congress with receiving and distributing all government publications except those restricted to the special use of Congress and the executive departments, and all copyrighting of books, maps, charts, etc., was transferred to that Department from the Department of State. This rapidly increasing volume of business was allocated to the division of the Secretary's office containing the library, and the manifold duties in regard thereto were assumed by its chief. During the period of the Civil War the activities of the library proper were overshadowed by the enormous growth of the copyright section, but in 1871 this situation was relieved by the transfer of all copyright business to the Library of Congress, where it has become a very large and important division. New impetus was given the Interior Library by the appointment of a Superintendent of Documents, who also served as Librarian and through whose efforts an appropriation for general literature was obtained.

In 1879, the library was segregated from the Documents Division, given a liberal appropriation, handsome quarters on the second floor of the Interior Building, and its own librarian who, after substantially increasing the number of volumes, caused to be pre-

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[1] Data obtained in part from *Historical Sketch of Library of the Department of the Interior*, dated May 1, 1907, contained in INTERIOR ADMINISTRATIVE GENERAL FILES, nos. 1-6.

pared a very fine dictionary catalog which was for many years a useful guide.

From time to time thereafter small appropriations were made for accessions, but as the Department grew, the library again became the victim of overcrowded conditions and was compelled to abandon its fine quarters and take refuge in a small suite of rooms where lack of space effectively precluded any extensive additions to the collection.

Expansion of the Department continued, however, and eventually the General Land Office and the Indian Office were moved from the Interior Building proper and the library was again granted living space by the simple expedient of moving it to a suite of rooms considered unfit for clerical use by reason of "complete absence of daylight." This fact, the long-suffering librarian hoped, might insure it against further disturbance. During all of these years the library had continued to serve not only as a depository for legal materials and general reference works but also as a general circulation medium for the clerks of the Department, who, with the approval of the Secretary, made full use of its carefully selected collection of standard works in the ordinary branches of literature. Courtesies were freely extended to the immediate families of the employees and to other government departments as well.

About that time (1887), agitation was rife for the establishment of a public library in the District of Columbia, and twelve years later, a proposed amendment to an appropriation bill provided for transfer of all government departmental libraries to the then established Public Library. I am happy to report that this remarkable suggestion was unanimously rejected by the Senate. But peace and security were not yet found, for in 1902 the whole Interior Department was startled one winter morning, very near the close of the session of Congress, to learn from the daily press that a resolution had passed the House of Representatives the day before virtually abolishing this particular library, and directing the Secretary to turn over all its much prized and well-known volumes to the Public Library. A mammoth petition and protest, together with a letter from the Secretary, were hastily prepared and rushed to the committee of the Senate to which the matter had been referred, where the obnoxious clause was promptly stricken from the bill. However, later in the same session, a provision was included in the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation Act which authorized the transfer to the Library of Congress or the Free Public Library of all books "no longer needed for conduct of the public business" in the various libraries of the Executive Departments.

In the light of earlier legislative attempts, this apparently was construed as mandatory; each bureau of the Interior Department was hastily circularized to obtain a listing of essential books needed for its "conduct of the public business," and a chaotic period ensued. Other government departments, getting wind of the impending dismemberment of the highly regarded Interior Library, filed requests with the Secretary for materials of interest to them—to all of which requests the Secretary turned a deaf ear, sternly referring them to the offending statute. It is interesting to

note that during this period some 2,000 volumes of early state session laws and reports were disposed of as "no longer needed," and the library was relieved of hundreds of volumes in the fields of general literature and reference.

As soon as the general library had been virtually abolished, agitation began for appropriations to build up the various special collections, legal and scientific, within the Department. Later, a movement got under way to establish a branch of the Public Library in the Interior Building to revive the earlier practice of providing the departmental employees and their families with circulating library facilities. Despite the enthusiastic endorsement of Departmental officials, this plan did not materialize, because of the familiar shortages of space and personnel.

By 1924 a plan was developing for consolidating the various legal collections which had grown up in the Office of the Solicitor, the General Land Office, the Indian Office, the Reclamation Service, and other bureaus. The only reason the plan had not yet flowered was that adequate space was not available, but in 1925, plans and specifications finally materialized, the consolidated law library of the Department came into being and a Law Library Committee and librarian were appointed to look after its interests.

Not long after the consolidation of the Law Library, the depression struck and the long chain of emergency agencies placed under the supervision of the present Secretary was begun. With the creation of each new agency the legal interests of the Department broadened until at this date, the Law Library being the only one of the special libraries to be organized on a broad departmental base, it is the recipient of most if not all of the general reference work of the Department. This situation of course, the staff finds stimulating, and would not willingly exchange for a more restricted concept of service.

Today, the Interior Department Law Library numbers between 90,000 and 100,000 volumes and pamphlets. Because of its heritage it is rich in documentary materials not found in the newer libraries, and scholars find it fairly well equipped for research in the governmental field. Most unfortunately, but I suppose unavoidably, many sets have been broken, resulting in the loss of books which perhaps can never be replaced.

Because of the diversity of the Department's interests and the many attorneys, both field and departmental, constantly coming and going, a listing of the library's major holdings has recently been prepared as a general guide for its clientele. In addition to its departmental work in Washington, the Law Library does the purchasing for the working libraries of the Chief Counsels of the Department in such far-flung bastions as Alaska and Puerto Rico as well as Salt Lake City and Chicago, and endeavors to keep them abreast of current materials.

The Library staff is small (we number nine at present), but well-trained and enthusiastic. We do considerable legal reference work and an occasional real research job. The Department calls on us for everything, reasonable and unreasonable, and we like it. We never refuse an assignment—no matter how far afield it may appear to be, and we have learned that much which at first

blush appears irrelevant merges into useful background information. Of course the war has noticeably affected the types of problems coming to us. Fewer scholars consult us on leisurely research projects, and our own legal staff works under intense pressure, much of the time far into the night. The Petroleum Administration for War and the Bureau of Mines, to name but two of the several bureaus of the Department engaged primarily in war work, call heavily upon us; we in turn draw upon the resources of the Library of Congress and such fine institutions as the Pan American Union, Brookings Institute, the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace as well as the many fine technical libraries in Washington, meanwhile maintaining a brisk interlibrary loan business with other government departments. With gratitude for these splendid outside resources which supplement its own holdings, the Library tries to do yeoman's service for the Department-at-War and looks forward to the development of new services for the happier times of peace.

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(1943) Brooklyn Trust Co. (Fabre) v. Shapiro, 41 N. Y. S. (2d) 286 (Sup. Ct., Kings Co.). Construction and application.

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(1943) In re Bashor, 16 Wash. (2d) 168, 132 P. (2d) 1027.

(1943) Kelley v. Kelley, 38 N. Y. S. (2d) 344 (Sup. Ct., Oneida Co.).

(1942) Laperouse v. Eagle Indemnity Co., 202 La. 686, 12 So. (2d) 680.

(1943) Modern Industrial Bank v. Grossman, 40 N. Y. S. (2d) 628 (Mun. Ct., Brooklyn).

(1942) North Wales Nat. Bank v. Rees, 4 Monroe 43 (Pa.).

(1943) Oliver v. Oliver, 12 So. (2d) 852 (Ala.).

(1943) Patrikes v. J. C. H. Service Stations, 41 N. Y. S. (2d) 158 (City Ct., Queens Co.).

(1942) Perkins v. Manning, 59 Ariz. 60, 122 P. (2d) 857. Constitutionality.

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Sec. 101. Definitions.

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(1943) Richey & Gilbert Co. v. Northwestern Natural Gas Corporation, 16 Wash. (2d) 631, 134 P. (2d) 444.

(1942) State ex rel. Buck v. McCabe, 140 Ohio St. 535; 45 N. E. (2d) 763.

Sec. 103. Protection of persons secondarily liable.

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(1943) Erback v. Donald, 170 S. W. (2d) 289 (Tex. Civ. App.).

(1942) Ex parte Moore, 12 So. (2d) 77 (Ala.). Bail bonds.

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(1942) Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Inst. v. Bohn, 36 N. Y. S. (2d) 69 (1st Dep't).

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(1943) Smith v. Sanders, 293 Ky. 6; 168 S. W. (2d) 359.

(1943) State ex rel. Frank v. Bunge, 16 Wash. (2d) 358, 133 P. (2d) 515. Stay denied.

Article II

General Relief

Sec. 200. Default judgment; affidavits; bonds; attorneys for persons in service.

(1941) Arthur v. Gardner, 42 Pa. D. & C. 549. Affidavits.

(1943) Bridges v. Williams, 171 S. W. (2d) 372 (Tex. Civ. App.). Stay of proceedings.—Hearing and determination.

(1942) Frew v. Angelo, 9 Schuylkill 28 (Pa.). Default judgment.

(1942) J. C. Penney Co. v. Oberpriller, 163 S. W. (2d) 1067 (Tex. Civ. App.). Reversed on other grounds, 170 S. W. (2d) 607 (Tex. Com. App. 1943). Default judgment-co-judgment debtor.

(1941) Lang v. Lang, 176 Misc. 213, 25 N. Y. S. (2d) 775 (Sup. Ct., Queens Co.).

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(1942) Melotti v. Melotti, 44 Pa. D. & C. 514, 5 Fayette 117 (Pa.), 4 Monroe 56 (Pa.), 11 Somerset 51 (Pa.), 56 York 76 (Pa.). Affidavits—Divorce, alimony and maintenance.

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(1942) National Bank of Far Rockaway v. Van Tassell, 178 Misc. 776, 36 N. Y. S. (2d) 478 (Sup. Ct., Queens Co.). Affidavits.

(1943) Oliver v. Oliver, 12 So. (2d) 852 (Ala.) Stay of proceedings.

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Sec. 201. Stay of proceedings where military service affects conduct thereof.

(1942) Batts v. Little, 222 N. C. 353, 23 S. E. (2d) 41. Stay of actions—hearing and determination—relief granted.

(1942) Bowsman v. Peterson, 45 F. Supp. 741 (D. Neb.). Duration of stay—Burden of proof.

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(1942) City of Cedartown v. Pickett, 194 Ga. 508, 22 S. E. (2d) 318. Stay erroneous.

(1941) Clarke v. Clarke, 25 N. Y. S. (2d) 64 (Sup. Ct., Queens Co.). Divorce, alimony and maintenance.

(1941) Craven v. Vought, 58 Montgomery 15 (Pa.), 4 Monroe 11 (Pa.), 55 York 173 (Pa.). Stay of proceedings.

(1943) Curran v. Newstead, 40 N. Y. S. (2d) 886 (Sup. Ct., Oswego Co.).

(1942) Fell v. Fell, 38 N. Y. S. (2d) 381 (Sup. Ct., Kings Co.). Stay denied.

(1942) Flushing Sav. Bank v. Hallewell, 35 N. Y. S. (2d) 521 (Sup. Ct., Queens Co.). Stay of Proceedings.

(1943) Franklin Soc. for Home-Building & Savings v. Flavin, 265 App. Div. 720, 40 N. Y. S. (2d) 582 (1st Dep't). Particular proceedings stayed.

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(1943) Grodsky v. Grodsky, 42 N. Y. S. (2d) 352 (Sup. Ct., N. Y. Co.). Stay of action.

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(1942) Lanham v. Cline, 44 F. Supp. 897 (D. Idaho). Duration of stay.—joint parties.

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(1943) Reynolds v. Haulcroft, 205 Ark. 760, 170 S. W. (2d) 678. Particular proceedings stayed—burden of proof.

(1943) Richey & Gilbert Co. v. Northwestern Natural Gas Corporation, 16 Wash. (2d) 631, 134 P. (2d) 444. Discretion of court—persons secondarily liable.

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(1943) Smith v. Sanders, 293 Ky. 6, 168 S. W. (2d) 359. Relief granted.

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Sec. 203. Stay or vacation of execution of judgments, attachments, etc.

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(1942) Commonwealth v. Watts, 4 Monroe 134 (Pa.), 11 Somerset 141 (Pa.), 56 York 61 (Pa.). Procedure.

(1942) Kelley v. Kelley, 38 N. Y. S. (2d) 344 (Sup. Ct., Oneida Co.). Stay of proceedings—Children, support of.

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(1942) Lanham v. Cline, 44 F. Supp. 897 (N. D. Idaho). Duration of stay—joint parties.

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(1942) Perkins v. Manning, 59 Ariz. 60, 122 P. (2d) 857. Statute of limitations—Constitutionality.

(1943) Reynolds v. Haulcroft, 205 Ark. 760, 170 S. W. (2d) 678. Particular proceedings stayed—burden of proof.

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Article III

Rent, Installment Contracts, Mortgages, Liens, Assignments, Leases

Sec. 300. Eviction or distress for nonpayment of rent; stay; allotment of pay for payment.

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(1920) Greenwood v. Puget Mill Co., 111 Wash. 464, 191 Pac. 393.

(1922) Internal Revenue Income Tax 1269, I-1 Cum. Bull. 311. Tax refunds and credits.

(1943) Jefferson Estates v. Wilson, 39 N. Y. S. (2d) 502 (1st Dep't), *affirming*, 35 N. Y. S. (2d) 582 (Mun. Ct., Manhattan). Rents—procedure; persons secondarily liable.

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Sec. 301—Installment contracts, for purchase of property.

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(1942) Application of Aber, 40 N. Y. S. (2d) 48 (Sup. Ct., N. Y. Co.). Sale of mortgaged property.

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Sec. 602. Revocation, etc. of interlocutory orders.

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(1942) Flushing Sav. Bank v. Hallewell, 35 N. Y. S. (2d) 521 (Sup. Ct., Queens Co.).

Article VII

Further Relief

Sec. 700.

(1942) Application of Aber, 40 N. Y. S. (2d) 48 (Sup. Ct., N. Y. Co.). Construction and application.

FRANCES D. LYON RETIRES FROM POSITION AS NEW YORK STATE LAW LIBRARIAN*

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Miss Frances D. Lyon, Law Librarian of the State Library in Albany, New York, retired on January 1 after serving for more than thirty-three years, first as Assistant and then as Law Librarian of the Library.

Miss Lyon joined the staff of the State Library in 1910, when it was housed in the State Capitol. In March, 1911, the entire State Library was destroyed by fire when the capitol building burned. Miss Lyon had the thrilling experience of aiding Frederick D. Colson, then State Law Librarian, in laying the foundations of the new library. It might be said that she has grown up with the present New York State Law Library, since she has had an active part in building it "from the first book" to its present size of more than 135,000 volumes. She is one of the ablest law librarians in the country and few law librarians have as complete knowledge of the varied literature of the legal profession as she.

Miss Lyon is a graduate of the Cornell University College of Law and was the first woman lawyer to practice in her home county, Orange County, New York. She represents the third generation of lawyers in her family, her paternal grandfather having been admitted to the New York Bar, in Orange County, in 1849, and her father in 1874. She is a member of the Albany County Bar Association, New York State Bar Association, American Bar Association, and the American Association of Law Libraries.

As a member of the American Bar Association, Miss Lyon went to Europe in 1924 at which time the members of the Association were entertained by the Bar Associations of England and France, and with the members of the American Bar Association was entertained at a garden party given in their honor by King George and Queen Mary at Buckingham Palace. She was a member of the Williamstown Institute of Politics

* A recent letter from Miss Lyon states that her plans were changed and that she was reinstated in her position on February 15. Her many friends will be happy to learn that she is again "on the job." Editor's note.

in 1925 and 1927 and attended the League of Nations Assembly at Geneva in 1926 and 1929.

Since 1911, when Miss Lyon became a member of the American Association of Law Libraries, she has contributed much to this organization. She has served as a member of its Executive Committee. At the 33rd annual meeting of the Association, held in St. Paul in 1938, she very ably conducted an institute on Law Library Administration. She has been a member of several of the committees of the Association and has taken an active part in its annual conferences. Among articles written by her and published in the *Law Library Journal* are "The 'Odor of Sanctity' in the New York State Law Library,"[1] published in 1937 and "New York Session Laws—Facts and Foibles,"[2] published in 1940.

Because of her wide knowledge of the literature of the law, Miss Lyon has been able to build up at Albany one of the great law libraries of this country, and because of her unusual ability to find obscure legal material when needed, she has held a place of high regard with the judiciary, the bar, and the legislative leaders at the state capital for more than a generation. In addition to her professional work, she has been a popular speaker on world affairs before groups in Albany County and the Hudson Valley region.

Miss Lyon is not a person of many hobbies, but if she may be said to have one, it is her indulgence in collecting portraits of famous jurists and barristers and pictures of scenes and buildings famous in Anglo-American legal history. She will continue to maintain her residence in Albany where she has a host of friends. She looks forward to being able to gratify her desire for further travel.

[1] 30 L. Lib. J. 506.
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THE HISTORY AND USE OF WRITS
A LIST OF SELECTED BOOKS AND PERIODICALS

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A selected list of references on the history of writs, writs in general, and on those used as extraordinary legal remedies. References on particular writs such as writs of assistance, writs of error, etc., have not been included.

Classification of Writs

1. Original writs: no longer used.
   Historically a mandate of the court constituting the foundation of the action and the commencement of a legal proceeding.
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   Issued after commencement of the action. Now divided into original writs, writs of mesne process, and writs of execution.

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WHO'S WHO IN LAW LIBRARIES

Frederick C. Hicks, Librarian of the Yale Law School Library

May I introduce to you a student, lawyer, author, legal biographer and bibliographer, editor, muscian, painter and an outstanding contributor to the progressive advancement of the legal profession in all its many phases. His writings and major contributions to law study and legal research, together with his administration and development of two great American university law libraries, the Columbia University Law Library and the Yale Law School Library, have justly earned for him the grateful thanks of both the lawyer and the law librarian.

FREDERICK C. HICKS

Frederick C. Hicks, son of William and Martha (Tailby) Hicks, was born in Auburn, N. Y. on October 14, 1875. His early education was acquired in the common schools; later he entered Colgate University, and in 1898 secured his Ph. B. After finishing college, he became an Assistant and later the Assistant Chief of the Map Division in the Library of Congress. This covered the years from 1898 to 1904. He also studied law during this period and obtained his LL. B. at Georgetown University Law School in 1901.

During 1904 he practiced law for a brief period, but fortunately was quickly recalled to the library field. He became librarian of the United States Naval War College, Newport, R. I., in 1905 and continued there through 1908. During this time he earned his A. M. degree at Brown University, in 1907.

The following year he disregarded the famous Horace Greeley advice to "Go West"; he remained in the East, and his next position was as Assistant Librarian of the Brooklyn Public Library for about one year. In 1909 he joined the library staff at Columbia University, serving as Superintendent of Reading Rooms and as Assistant Librarian until 1915. His law library career, and his greatest achievements began when he was appointed Librarian of the Columbia University Law School in February, 1915. His educational background, his talents and abilities, made him the ideal choice for this position.

Mr. Hicks began his stewardship of the Columbia Law Library with a realization of the need to develop that legal collection into one having a comprehensive coverage of the law for all countries of the world. Under his progressive and intelligent guidance, the law library

expanded from an ordinary law collection of some 56,000 volumes to an important library of over 142,000 volumes, with annual accessions of about 6,000 volumes.

The content of this great law library under the Hicks' systematic development program indicates that first emphasis was placed on rounding out the Anglo-American groups of legal literature. It further included obtaining all available editions of authoritative legal writers, such as Blackstone, Story, Kent, Wheaton, and others; the building up of British and Colonial law groups, and of foreign collections, in both public and private law; the establishment of the notable John Bassett Moore library on international law; a fine Roman law group and a solid fundamental grouping of publications from Latin-American and oriental countries. Two historically treasured private libraries were added, the James Kent library, and the John Jay library.

In addition to his administrative supervision and organization of the law library, Mr. Hicks conceived the sphere of a law librarian as not merely that of a custodian of law books, but also that of one who could enhance the usefulness of his library by making these books living exponents of legal thought. Thus began his writing and teaching. Directly and indirectly through his books, he has brought thousands of lawyers and law librarians into an intimate acquaintanceship with the literature of the law. His pioneer efforts in the form of writings, lectures and talks to small seminar groups for the study of legal bibliography, quickly attracted favorable attention. It was not long before a course on law books was added to the required subjects for first year law students at Columbia, with recognition given Mr. Hicks in the form of an Associate Professorship.

This well-established course of lectures is continued at Columbia Law School for both law students and law librarians, and a number of other university law schools now give such courses to law students.

With the advent of the functional approach to the study of law, as inaugurated at Columbia University, Professor Hicks sensed the need for even greater expansion of the heretofore narrowed lines of a law library collection. Works on social, economic and other fields of study were added to the law library. Today one sees the wisdom of this move, for current national and state legislation is vastly influenced by such factors.

A tireless worker, Professor Hicks uncovered a wealth of material in his legal research which he found time to publish in books and articles.

His educational activities and his many published writings brought him additional deserved rewards. From his Alma Mater, Colgate University, he received the honorary degree Litt. D. in 1922, and from Yale University he received an A. M. in 1928.

In 1928 Yale Law School persuaded Professor Hicks to accept the Law Librarianship and a professorship there. New responsibilities and an even wider field for his talents and experience offered a challenge that was irresistible to him.

The wisdom of his selection by the trustees of Yale University has long since been stamped indelibly in the history of the Yale Law School and its library. In 1931, when the school moved

into the new Sterling Law Building, Mr. Hicks had charge of the planning of the library quarters of the building and supervision of the moving of the book collection. Not only the arrangement and space, which provide for growth and expansion for many years to come, but also the beauty and convenience of the present library are due to his careful planning. The new quarters were so much larger than those which the library had previously occupied that almost complete reorganization of the book collection and of a staff to handle it, was necessary. This work, begun by Mr. Hicks at this time, has been continued throughout the succeeding years, and the library has been almost completely recataloged and reclassified. Two volumes of the Yale Law Library Publications, the *Yale Law Library Manual,* describing the physical facilities and the book collection, and the *Yale Law Library Classification,* tell the story of this reorganization. The Law Library has had an increase of over 182,000 volumes in the fifteen years he has been there, and is today one of the truly great law collections.

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Professor Hicks teaches courses in legal bibliography, legal ethics and other subjects; he edits and contributes to the historically important Yale Law Library Publications; he created and installed the Yale Law Library Classification scheme, and promoted the establishment

of new funds for purchasing law books. He was instrumental in the raising of some $331,380 for the Law Library. He also promoted the Law Library Patrons Fund in the interest of the welfare of Yale Law Library.

For almost a half century, Professor Hicks has generously contributed of his time, ideals and ideas to the members of the law library profession. To law librarians, his most notable expression in book form is the "bible" of their profession, entitled *Materials and Methods of Legal Research,* the first edition of which was published in 1923 and which is now in its third edition in 1942. Many articles and lectures, and much personal aid have been contributed by him towards the betterment of the law library profession and of law librarians.

Always a diligent and active worker in the library field, he has served on numerous committees of professional associations, as Chairman of the Committee on the *Law Library Journal,* as President of the American Association of Law Libraries, and as Secretary of the Eastern College Librarians. A number of his writings on library problems appear in the form of articles, reports and discussions in the *Law Library Journal.* He still continues his interest in the *Public Affairs Information Service,* of which he has been Secretary for twenty-four years.

His avocations include music, painting and photography. He now plays the first flute in the Business and Professional Men's Orchestra of New Haven. Some of his paintings have appeared in public exhibitions, and he has been a prize winner in the New Haven Camera Club competitions.

Picture a quiet gentleman of Napoleonic stature but minus the pomp, imbued with human interest and understanding, and with a kindly nature. Think of him also as a lover of the arts, and as a person possessed of an overwhelming zeal for learning and progress. There you have a true likeness of the Dean of Law Librarians — Professor Frederick Charles Hicks.

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The present work, which was first presented as a doctoral dissertation at the Catholic University of America, is a reprint of the edition published in 1937. To the original edition have been added a new title page, some slight changes in the foreword, and a very valuable index of authors cited. The same plates used in the 1937 edition have been used in the present printing, which means that the former errors and imperfections in typography have necessarily been retained.

The volume was issued first in a limited edition, with the result that many libraries and scholars were unable to obtain a copy. The present edition will make available to all a work which is indispensable in any study of Spanish law sources, and which will be most useful to librarians and others attempting to build up collections of Spanish-American law. The experience of the author as Deputy General Receiver of the Customs in the Dominican Republic, as a student of the civil law in the University of Santo Domingo, and as Law Librarian of the Library of Congress for many years, made him preeminently qualified to undertake this most difficult task.

The author was moved to this undertaking because of the lack of any adequate treatment in English of the background of the Hispanic-American legal development, especially in its sociological and juridical implications. The aim of the author was to give a brief and unified treatment of the principal sources and secondary works rather than to give a critical and detailed study of legal origins. He succeeded admirably in the task he laid out for himself. Since the work was intentionally confined in the main to Spanish and European sources, it was obviously necessary to omit consideration of the customs of the Indian population of this country and the influence of those customs on the legal development of Hispanic-America. This gap will doubtless be filled eventually by the publication of special studies and bibliographies for the various countries of Central and South America.

The survey covers the whole period of Spanish legal development from the earliest times to the beginnings of the nineteenth century. All the main sources of Spanish law are considered, with copious references to all the leading writers. It had been the intention of the author to republish the work with an additional part dealing with the political and social doctrines of Spain and the literature pertaining to these subjects. Unfortunately time did not permit him to carry out this design, and an untimely death has robbed us of other contributions which might well have come from this earnest student of legal history.

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A. L. A. Glossary of Library Terms. *Prepared under the Direction of the A. L. A. Committee on Library Terminology by Elizabeth H. Thompson. Chicago, American Library Association, 1943. 170 p. $3.50.*

There has long been a need for a comprehensive collection of library terms. As far back as 1926, the Board of Education for Librarianship of the American Library Association began definite plans to meet this need. Such outstanding librarians as Jennie M. Flexner and Susan Grey Akers have been in charge of the project. A generous grant from the Carnegie Corporation of New York made possible the preparation of the glossary.

The *A. L. A. Glossary of Library Terms* represents the joint labors of hundreds of librarians from British Columbia to Florida who have searched the various fields of library literature and have brought together and made uniform the definitions which have become established over a period of years. Outstanding among the groups which have aided in its compilation are the Biographical Society of America, the Catalog Code Revision Committee, the Special Librarians' Association, the A. L. A. Committee on Photographic Reproduction of Library Materials, the Music Librarians' Association and others.

The glossary contains technical definitions used in American libraries, except those of purely local interest; some terms not in use but of historical interest and selected in several fields more or less closely related to library service, with which librarians come in contact in connection with books and their history. Thus this book is a compilation of definitions of terms pertinent to cataloging (including map and music cataloging), classification, archives, printing and publishing, paper, binding, microphotography, illustrations and prints.

The appendixes give tables of book and type sizes as well as a list of abbreviations which were encountered by the readers who examined library literature in search of terms for the glossary. However, the list is not intended to be exhaustive.

The arrangement of the glossary is alphabetical with a separate entry for each term. Synonymous terms are usually given with definitions, and "see" references from synonymous terms are numerous. There are no "see also" references. Definitions from the *A. L. A. Catalog Rules* are indicated by a "C" or "Ca" (if definition is altered) following the definition, while terms in microphotography are indicated by an "M." Those definitions which have been reprinted by permission from authors and publishers are so indicated. A general list of these sources is given in the introduction.

The format of the book is good, the size and weight satisfactory, and the binding excellent. The paper will be durable and is excellent in color and appearance. The size and gradation of type used make the definitions easy to locate, the terms being given in bold face type and the "see" references in italics. The amount of space left between definitions is also helpful.

The *A. L. A. Glossary of Library Terms* will be of value to librarians, library school students, and perhaps occasionally to those outside the profession. Because of the general nature of

the terms, it will be most useful in a general library. It does not include enough definitions of significance to law libraries to be especially useful except for terms which are common to all libraries. Recognizing this fact, the Special Libraries Association has published *Contributions toward a Special Library Glossary,* which includes 84 terms with definitions. About one-sixth of these terms are new, more than one-eighth are the same with no change in definitions, while the others are the same as in the *A. L. A. Glossary* except that the definitions have been altered slightly to give the exact connotation as used in special libraries. This *Special Library Glossary* contains many more cross references than the other, and "see also" references and cross references from inverted headings which the *A. L. A. Glossary* does not have. It is in mimeographed form and is intended merely as the beginning of a glossary for special libraries. Because of the very small number of definitions and the type of terms defined, this glossary will not be of especial interest to law librarians except as they might be interested in expanding the compilation.

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FARRAND'S CATALOGUE

This writer has previously drawn attention to American law book collectors and law book dealers of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries.[1] In this comment, reference is made to William P. Farrand's *Catalogue of English, Irish and American Editions of Law Books* "sold by him, No. 170, Market Street, Philadelphia . . . 1806," a pamphlet of 38 pages which is bound with his *Law and General Catalogues of Books.*[2]

Farrand's catalog of law books is a priced catalog of 376 items. Most interesting is the "Advertisement" which serves as an introduction to the catalog; it reflects the scarcity of books and of working capital in Farrand's time. "In the following," he says, "I regret that it has been out of my power to be always accurate in marking prices. When I first discovered that I should be unable to do it, I thought to omit annexing any price, when it was doubtful; but, on further consideration, I concluded that a supposed price, or one near to that at which a book sells, would be of advantage in forming an opinion of the amount which books would cost, especially to distant correspondents." The scarcity of books at that time is also evidenced in another way; that is, the existence of pirated reprints of English reports[3] and treatises. The Dublin editions were mostly pirated editions of English books, cheap reprints, often inaccurate, and condensed into smaller volumes by the use of small type, and printed without regard to the author's rights. Among the American imprints there were a few pirated copies, but on the whole they were truly American books. As the price of the Dublin editions was on the average forty-five per cent below the relatively high London price, Dublin edi-

[1] (1941) 34 L. LIB. J. 107 (1942) 35 L. LIB. J. 30.
[2] Philadelphia, 1807.
[3] E. g., of both Blackstones, Bosanquet, East, Vesey.

tions found their way easily into American hands. Nevertheless, their reputation was such that Farrand found it advisable to offer a Dublin reprint of Salkeld's *Reports* with the words: "The Dublin edition of this book is printed from the last London edition, and its character is an exception to that of most Dublin editions of law books. It is said to be accurately printed."

American imprints of law books were in the minority; three-quarters of the listed items were English imprints, fifteen per cent were Dublin editions, and only ten per cent were of American origin.

Little else need be mentioned about Farrand's *Catalogue*. It is an attractive antique, exciting to the collector, and of interest to the historian.

WILLIAM B. STERN
Los Angeles County Law Library.

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COMPILED BY GEORGE K. MCMULLAN
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Bouscaren, T. L. *Canon Law Digest.* v. 2: 3d Rev. Ed., with Supplement. Bruce, Milwaukee, 1943. 668 p. $5.00.

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Samuels, Harry, ed. *The Factories Act, 1937.* 3d Ed. Stevens & Sons, London, 1943. 622p. 37s6d.

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Sturgess, H. A. C. *The Companies Act, 1929.* 2d Ed. Eyre, London, 1943. 10s 6d.

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COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

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Advertising Manager

JOSEPH L. ANDREWS, Reference Librarian of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York, who has acted as advertising manager of the Journal since 1941, has resigned. President Morrison will handle this work until Mr. Andrews' successor is appointed.

Nominating Committee

THE COMMITTEE TO NOMINATE OFFICERS FOR 1944-45 will consist of the following members: Arthur S. Beardsley, *Chairman,* Harold J. Bowen, Layton B. Register, Helen Ross and Arie Poldervaart.

CURRENT COMMENTS

A. A. L. L. Members Write

MRS. HELEN M. S. HELMLE, Librarian for the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the U. S., New York City, is the author of an article entitled "More War Problems in Insurance Libraries." It appeared in the October 1943 issue of *Special Libraries.*

"LAW BOOKS OF THE YEAR," an article by Hobart R. Coffey, Law Librarian of the University of Michigan, appears in the June 1943 issue of the *Michigan Law Review.*

"TOWARD AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE LAW" is the title of an article by Annabelle McIntire, which appears in the January 1944 issue of the *Wilson Bulletin.* Miss McIntire is Assistant Librarian in the United States Department of Justice Library in Washington, D. C.

RAYMOND C. LINDQUIST, Secretary and Librarian of the New Jersey Public Library Commission, is editing the *New Jersey Library Bulletin.* The November 1943 number contains articles of interest to librarians in general. Mr. Lindquist was editor of *The Legist* at the time he served as Librarian of the New York Law Institute.

Columbia University Law Library Administration Course

THE COURSE IN LAW LIBRARY ADMINISTRATION will be given for the eighth consecutive summer by Miles O. Price, Law Librarian of Columbia University, at the School of Library Service of Columbia University. Classes will be held from July 3 to August 11. Early application should be made for admission to the class.

President-elect Ill

WILLIAM S. JOHNSTON, President-elect of the Association, has been ill and confined to the hospital. He is now recuperating. He has the best wishes of all his friends for a speedy recovery.

Military Service

STANLEY WEST is now a lieutenant (j.g.) in the Navy. Prior to his enlistment, he was Assistant Director of Libraries at Columbia University. He was formerly Law Librarian of the University of Pittsburgh.

LOUIS PIACENZA, a staff member at the Columbia University Law Library, enlisted in the Seabees in August. He had his basic training at Williamsburg, Virginia, and he is now in active service. Mrs. Piacenza has joined the Columbia Law Library staff.

GEORGE K. MCMULLAN, Specialist in American Law at the Library of Congress, is resigning to enter the Army. He has been compiler of the "Current Legal Publications" list in the recent numbers of the *Journal.*

MORRIS GANN of Gann Law Books has been inducted into the Navy and is now in training at Camp Peary, Williamsburg, Virginia.

State Law Index

THE NINTH BIENNIAL VOLUME OF *State Law Index,* now available at the Government Printing Office, is of special interest at this time as a key to recent legislation resulting from the war.

The Index is supplied free to governmental agencies, federal, state and local. Organizations and individuals desiring copies may purchase them for $1.75.

New York Association Meeting

THE LAW LIBRARY ASSOCIATION OF GREATER NEW YORK met at New York University Faculty Club on December 6. Dr. Ernest C. Stiefel addressed the meeting on "Survey of Sources and Materials on Foreign War Law Affecting American Interests, 1943." Since most of the countries considered are enemy-occupied, the talk was very interesting and informative. Dr. Stiefel is counsel on foreign law for Engelhard, Pitcher & Amann, of New York City.

Washington Chapter News

THE LAW LIBRARIANS SOCIETY OF WASHINGTON, D. C., has elected the following officers for 1944: President, Helen Newman, Associate Librarian, Supreme Court of the United States; Vice-President, Wanda Miller, Librarian, Office of the General Counsel of the United States Treasury; Secretary, Anne Jensen, Librarian, American University; Treasurer, Ann Trittipo, Law Library of Congress; Board of Directors: Mary Lee Wenzel, Librarian, Civil Service Commission; Eldon R. James, Law Librarian of the Library of Congress; H. Charles Hallam, Jr., Assistant Librarian, Supreme Court of the United States, and Joseph Gauges, Librarian and Marshal, United States Court of Customs and Patent Appeals.

The Society held its regularly scheduled meetings during 1943 and plans the usual calendar for 1944. At the September meeting Mrs. Huberta Prince presented the paper which appears as the first article in this issue of the *Journal*. Rear Admiral Thomas Leigh Gatch, Judge Advocate General of the Navy, gave an account of the engagements in the South Pacific in which his battleship the South Dakota participated.

Gift to New York Public Library

THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY is the recipient of a gift of a $1,000 fund by Edward L. Bernays, to be known as "The Edward L. Bernays Collection on Public Relations." It is to be used to add to the library's collection on public relations. Mr. Bernays has been very active in this field.

College of Law in China

A COLLEGE OF LAW AND COMMERCE has been started at Chungking, China, because of that country's need for lawyers and business men. Several noted Chinese scholars have joined the faculty, which is composed for the most part of Chinese who have received legal and commercial training abroad. General Feng Yu-hsiang will serve as Professor of Military Training, now a part of all Chinese curricula.

Department of Justice Publication

"THE GATEWAY TO CITIZENSHIP," a publication prepared by a member of the Immigration and Naturalization Service of the Department of Justice, in cooperation with the Committees on American Citizenship of the American Bar Association and the Federal Bar Association, is designed to assist members of the bench and bar, civil and educational authorities, and patriotic organizations in their efforts to dignify and emphasize the significance of citizenship, particularly in relation to the ceremony of citizenship induction as a part of the naturalization process. It makes well-considered and helpful suggestions which, if followed, will divest naturalization proceedings of any suggestion that admission to citizenship is a casual or perfunctory matter.

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		ARKANSAS	
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		Thomas Law Book Co.	1942 Cum. A. Supp.
		CALIFORNIA	
Reports	. . .	Bancroft-Whitney & Co.	21 (2d)
App. Reports	. . .	Bancroft-Whitney & Co.	59 (2d)
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		1941 Deering Civil Code 1v.	1937 Deering General Laws 2v.
		1941 Deering Civil Procedure & Probate Code 1v.	1937 Deering Constitution 1v.
		1941 Deering Penal Code 1v.	1939 Supp. to Codes & General Laws 1v.
		1937 Deering Political Code 1v.	1941 Supp. to Constitution, Codes & General Laws 1v.
		1937-1939 Deering Commissioners' Codes, 3v.	1944 ed., 20v., announced.

[1] In response to suggestions from members of the A.A.L.L., the Editor has revised this Check List to include Statutory Compilations. Because of space limitations only one is listed for each state with the official set listed in preference to unofficial sets. The Editor will be glad to receive additional suggestions from members and subscribers concerning these statutory listings.

[2] With acknowledgments to the N. A. Phemister Company.

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		CANAL ZONE	
Reports		Executive Secretary, Panama Canal, Balboa Heights, C. Z.	3
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